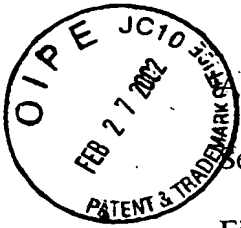


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**RESPONSE TO "NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR
PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE
AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES"**

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Sir:

This is in response to the "Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence And/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures" dated February 5, 2002 (copy enclosed herewith). Accompanied herewith is a replacement computer-readable copy of the Sequence Listing as filed in the Preliminary Amendment dated November 9, 2001, as well as a "Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.825(a) and (b)."

II. REMARKS

In response to the communication referred to above, the applicants have replaced the damaged diskette containing the Sequence Listing of record with a replacement diskette. For the convenience of the examiner, a additional paper copy of the Sequence

Listing is also submitted herewith (which is an exact duplicate of the paper copy of the Sequence Listing provided to the Patent Office on November 9, 2001). Accompanying the paper and computer-readable copies of the Sequence Listing is a "Statement Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.825(a) and (b).

In view of the foregoing, the applicants submit that no new matter has been added via the submission of the replacement diskette for the Sequence Listing of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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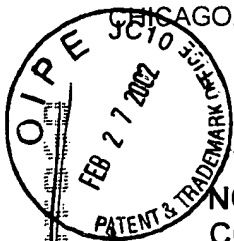


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